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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

INVENTOR: Evan E. Koslow) EXAMINER: Jennifer A. Boyd
SERIAL NO.: 09/864,976) ART UNIT: 1771
FILING DATE: May 21, 2001) DATE: February 24, 2005
FOR: RAPID ABSORBENT STRUCTURES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND ACCOMPANYING FEE

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

(A) **Extension of Time:**

The undersigned Attorney respectfully petitions the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for taking action in the above-identified application for the period of time indicated below.

- (1) Original Period for Response was Set to Expire on March 22, 2005
- (2) Statutory Period Expired December 22, 2005

Extension now requested is for the period of 3 months from the date (1) above.

(B) **Total Fee for this Petition filed herewith:**

- (☒) The total fee, in the amount of \$ 510.00 , is attached.
- (☐) The total fee, in the amount of \$ _____ (small entity) is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-0566.

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Please charge any additional fee that may be required for this Petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-0566. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for the convenience of the Finance Branch.

Respectfully submitted,

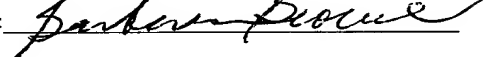


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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date indicated below as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Name: Barbara Browne Date: February 24, 2005 Signature: 

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